

NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

The graduating seniors this year were given a rather unusual piece of advice by Dr. Paul Faulkner in his address to the class. He told them not to set goals for their lives but to set the direction that they want to go and they will pass many goals.

While this conflicts with most of the commencement addresses we have ever heard or read, it shows a deep understanding of life on the part of the speaker.

Even at best no one can really set a meaningful goal for their life because of the many day to day changes, but if the direction is right the goals will take care of themselves.

In case you missed the story over the weekend, the young man in Austin who was accused of aiming a speeding car into a crowd of about 300 street dancers, mostly hippies, was freed after a grand jury dismissed the charges.

The young man was accused of driving his car slowly through the throng in the street that was blocked off for a street dance after permission for the dance was turned down by city officials.

Witnesses said that some revellers began harassing the driver, as they had other motorists that night, and some sat on the back of the car. Suddenly the car accelerated, tumbling the youths off the rear. They said the driver reached a dead end, turned around, doused his headlights and then sped back into the crowd. He then shifted into reverse and gunned the auto backwards into the group again, finally striking a parked ice cream truck.

"The situation, while regrettable, was the result of a situation not of the accused's making, and occurred during a period of confusion such as would panic any individual of ordinary temperament, and in the interest of justice we have voted a 'no bill,'" the grand jury said.

We can only applaud the jury's decision.

The fate of a State Minimum Wage bill is still in question in the closing days of the legislature but has been revived with some tricky bit of fast footwork and clever maneuvering on the part of Senate sponsors.

The Senate first passed a bill that included every worker in the state, with a beginning salary of \$1.25 and increases to \$1.60. When the bill got to the House it was cut down to eliminate farm labor, exempted businesses doing less than \$150,000 gross volume annually, and included no escalation clause to raise the minimum above \$1.25.

When the House bill got back to the Senate they gutted it and made it back into the original Senate bill. It will now go back to the House and if the House turns it down it will go to a conference committee of the two houses. Then it would be up to the two Houses to either pass or reject the bill that is worked out in conference.

Since the bill will not have to go back before the House, where the most opposition is, for consideration or discussion, though only for approval or disapproval, there is not much time for opposition to be heard.

For those of us who have dealings with the Federal Minimum Wage, the worst problem of a state bill, if it is anything like the federal bill, would be the people that enforce it. These people have more power and authority without court action than any governing body should possess.

As we have said here before, we realize that many people may be underpaid in parts of the state, but we still feel that a minimum wage bill that does not exempt part time workers, such as students, and is above \$1.25 will hurt a great number of people.

J. E. McCoy Has First Load of Wheat Here

J. E. "Runt" McCoy brought in the first load of wheat for the year Sunday evening at Moore Elevator, according to Robert Fowler, manager.

The first load was carried to the elevator by Larry McCoy and weighed 20,100 pounds with a moisture of 11.50. The wheat had a test weight of 62 pounds per bushel.

To Close Friday For Memorial Day

Most Hamlin business firms will be closed Friday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day, one of the recognized closing days as set out by the Trade Development Committee of the Hamlin Board of Community Development.

Ilets and had a very good visit. Tuesday revealed a desire to comply to the committee's decision.

\$1000 In Scholarships Awarded At Graduation

The presentation of \$1,000 in three scholarships and the message given by Dr. Paul Faulkner of Abilene Christian College urging the 69 graduates to set a direction for their lives highlighted the 1969 commencement program in Hamlin Public School Auditorium Monday evening.

Two of the three scholarships were presented for the first time by local groups. John Hix was presented the \$800 four-year scholarship given by the Pied Piper Booster Club. Each semester, for eight semesters, he will receive \$100. The scholarship is presented to a boy who has participated in school sponsored sports two or more years and who maintains at least a B average. Hix was recognized for his outstanding dedication to the sport of football and his maintaining a good scholastic standing in his class. His dependability and perseverance, a valuable asset to his team, was also noted in the presentation.

Robert Bailey, an honor graduate, was recipient of the first annual \$100 scholarship to be presented by the Ex-Student Association. This honor goes to a deserving boy or girl graduate whose qualities include scholarship and active participation in school activities.

The third annual Woman's Literary Club \$100 scholarship was presented to Beth Craig, also an honor graduate. This award is given to a girl graduate who exemplifies leadership and participation in school, civic and church activities while also maintaining a high degree of scholarship.

Dr. Faulkner used the Mississippi River as an illustration to show that obstacles and developing situations could not alter the course of the individual if they could rise above these things and continue in the direction they had started.

Chris Perrin played the processional. The invocation was given by Douglas LeCroy, minister of the Hamlin Church

of Christ.

Gil Lain, salutatorian, gave the welcome. Supt. C. F. Cook made announcements and introduced the speaker.

Awards and diplomas were given by B. V. Newberry, principal, Dr. M. L. Smith, president of the School Board, and Mr. Cook.

Mike Brown, Senior Class president, presented the gift from the class, a check to cover the purchase of two redwood planter boxes for the foyer of the new high school building.

Mike Young, valedictorian, gave the farewell.

The singing of the school anthem, Pied Piper Song, closed the ceremonies.

Door to Drive for Funds for Multiple Sclerosis Set Tuesday

The Heart of Texas Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society announces its first house to house campaign to be conducted in Stamford, and Hamlin June 3. Mrs. Joe (Patsy) Astin of Stamford has been named Jones County chairman. Mrs. Ewell Mackey has been named chairman of Hamlin.

M.S. is a progressive disease

of the central nervous system which strikes adults in the prime of life, 20 to 40 years old. It is not fatal in itself, but a slow sure crippler for about 500,000 in the U. S. today.

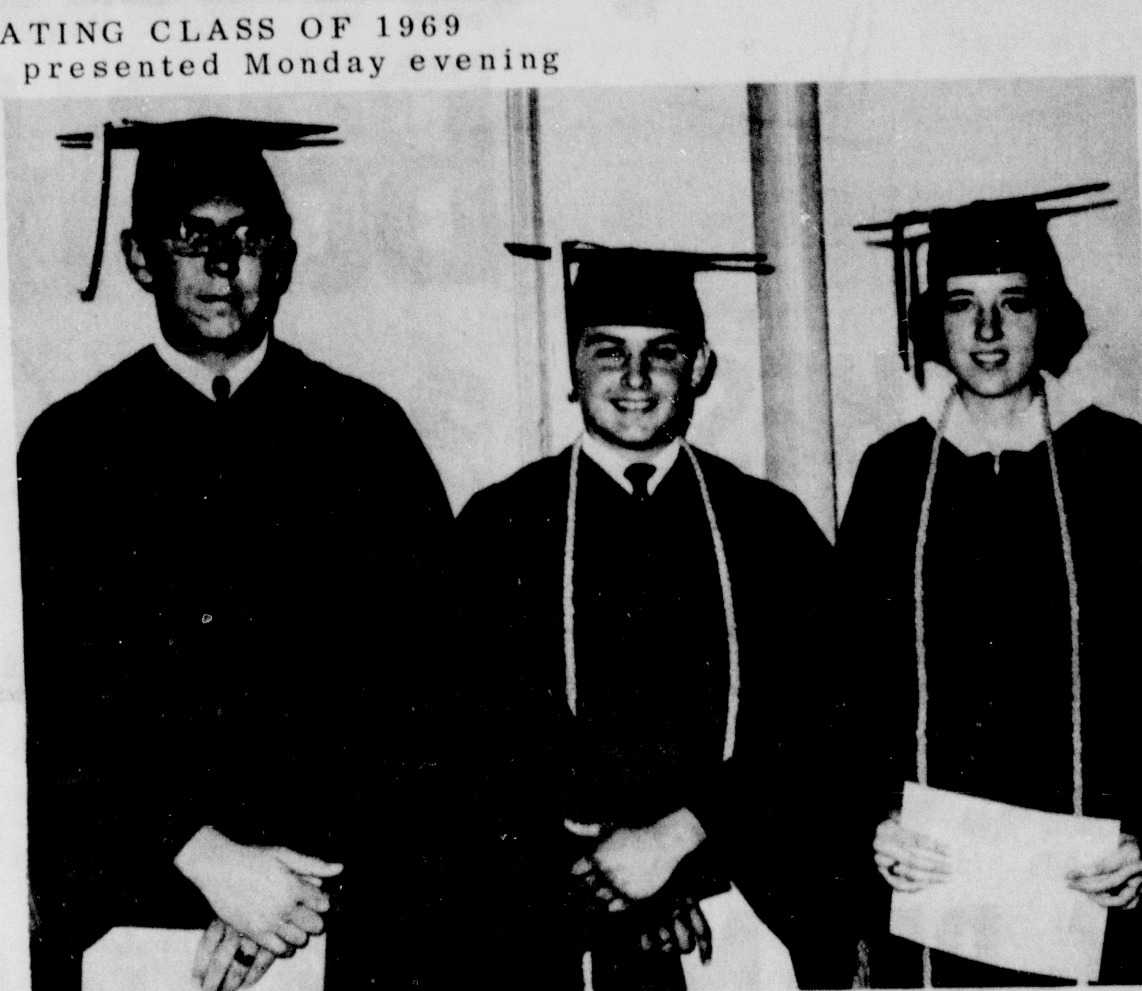
The Heart of Texas Chapter already has more than 175 patients in this Chapter.

The central nervous system consists of the spinal cord and the brain. Nerve fibers in columns are housed within the spinal canal; these nerves transmit messages from the brain and determine movement of arms, legs, or gans, and the functioning of all five senses. The fibers are covered by a protective sheath of fatty tissue called myelin — similar to insulation on electric wire. If anything happens to the protective myelin sheath — as it does in MS — the communicating nerve impulses are distorted, weakened, or blocked.

Earlier symptoms may be tingling in the limbs — or no sensation at all. This can be followed by vision problems, speech difficulties, a stumbling gait. M. S. victims may experience a remission (temporary retreat of all symptoms), but eventually the symptoms, return even more severe.

There is hope through research being done by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society founded in 1946. Your help when the MS volunteer calls on you June 3 in Hamlin will help find the cause, cure and prevention of M. S.

Anyone desiring further information please write M. S. 2537 Rountree Dr. Abilene, Texas. Anyone wishing to volunteer please contact Mrs. Mackey.



GRADUATING CLASS OF 1969
...diplomas presented Monday evening

\$1000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS GIVEN — Scholarships representing \$1,000 were given at commencement exercises Monday evening. John Hix, left, was recipient of the first Pied Piper Booster Club \$800 Scholarship which will be \$100 per semester for eight semesters. Robert Bailey and Beth Craig each received \$100 scholarships from the Ex-Student Association and Woman's Literary Club, respectively. (Tim Jones Photo)

Dr. Perrin to Give Program On Sex Education June 5

The Hamlin Jaycee-ettes are inviting the public to attend a special program Thursday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m. in the Jaycee Community Building.

Guest speaker will be Dr. E. D. Perrin who will present the talk on sex education which was given last fall at a P-TA meeting. The reception of his presentation was such that the Jaycee-ettes felt the public should be given another opportunity to hear the talk.

Invitations have also been extended to all club women and their husbands urging their attendance.

Mrs. Dan Gallagher will be hostess.

Farmers Field Day To Observe Grain Variety Test Plots

The annual Jones County Farmers Field Day to observe Small Grain Variety Test Plots will be held on the Routh Estate farm, located 2 miles southwest of Hamlin, at 9:30 a.m. on June 2, according to Jones County Agent Kirby Clayton. The small grain plots were planted on November 24, 1968 and will be harvested the first week in June. All interested farmers are invited to attend.

The small grain varieties to be observed are:

Wheat: Tascosa, Caddo, Scout 66, Sturdy and Crockett. Oats: Norwin, New Nortex, Bronco, Dubois, Ora and Cornada. Barley: Zora, Cardova, and Ear.

Library Plans Summer Reading Program, 100 New Books Added

More than 100 books have been added to the selection at Harden Memorial Library in preparation for a summer reading program for youth, according to Mrs. Earnie Reusch, president of the Woman's Forum.

One hundred books on loan from the Texas State Library, are for youth. Featured are juvenile fiction and non-fiction.

A new program offered for the first time by the local library is participation in the Texas Reading Club. Last summer over 58,000 boys and girls participated in the Texas Reading Club, the largest reading club of its kind in the world.

Each child who joins the Texas Reading Club is regis-

National Honor Society Officers Elected Friday

The National Honor Society held their final meeting of the year Friday afternoon in the home of the sponsor, Mrs. Charles Scott, in Syl-vester.

Officers elected for the 1969-70 school year were: Chris Perrin, president; Peggy Jones, vice president; Marcia Steele, secretary; Gary Smith, treasurer; Thomas Goolsby, historian; and Charlie Shira, reporter.

Mike Young outgoing president presided.

Others present were Jerry Elliott, Joey Duncan, Martha Robertson, Pat Perrin, Cindy Bryant, Patty Cowan, Robert Bailey, Dianna Crowley, Gil Lain, and Beth Craig.

tered on the reading log provided by Texas State Library. Those who read 12 books of their choice and reading level will receive a certificate of completion from the Texas State Library, signed by the State Librarian.

A list of titles read for this program will be kept on the reading log for each club member. These reading logs will be kept on file by the local librarian, Mrs. V. E. Holt.

Tentative plans are being made to conduct a reading hour for pre-school youngsters. Parents who are interested in such a program should turn their child's name in at the library.

Library hours are from 3 to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Wednesday hours are from 5 to 7 p.m.

Plans Being Made For Jaycee-ette Annual Festival

The Hamlin Jaycee-ettes have started making plans for the beauty contest Festival to be held Saturday, June 28.

Ages for the Miss Piperette entries will be from three to six.

Miss Pied Piper entries will be ages 14 through 19.

Anyone interested in entering may contact Mrs. Dan Gallagher, Mrs. Harvey Lawlis or Mrs. Ewell Mackey.

One or two-piece swimsuits may be worn by the entrants. Cut out styles and two-piece suits should not be cut lower than the waistline.

H.W. Madden, Mayor
CITY OF HAMLIN, TEXAS

Large Number of Local Youth To Attend Area FFA Convention

A large delegation from Hamlin is planning to attend the Area II FFA Convention at Lamesa High School June 2-3. State vice president Bob Clifton and Area II vice president Gil Lain will travel to Lamesa on Sunday June 1 for an officers' meeting before the opening session of the convention Monday morning.

Other Hamlin FFA members planning to attend are Spencer Ford, Bill Hodnett, Davis Weaver, Leldon Clifton, Charlie Sellers, Edward Johnson, Carlos Gonzalez, and Rodney Rackley. Dianna Crowley, Stamford District FFA Sweetheart; Patti Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowley, and chapter advisors T. C. Blankinship and Milburn Wink.

Chapter members will be competing for various awards at the convention. Spencer Bill and Davis are all candidates for the Lone Star Farmer Degree, the highest degree that the Texas Association can confer upon its members. Bill will be competing for Star Lone Star Farmer of the Area as a representative of the Stamford District. Charlie is competing for the Star Chapter Farmer title which goes to the outstanding second year student of vocational agriculture.

Bill is an applicant for the proficiency award in crop farming; Spencer, the proficiency award in agricultural mechanics; and Gil, the proficiency award in livestock farming. These awards are all National FFA Foundation awards.

Charlie is applying for the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Award. Dianna is competing with other district sweethearts for the title of Area II FFA Sweetheart. Patti will be her attendant.

The Hamlin FFA Chapter will be competing in the National Chapter Rating Contest. This award is based upon the chapter's accomplishments in carrying out the state and national programs of work.

Gil is applying for several college scholarships. These are based on the members leadership ability, his supervised farming program, and his scholastic standing.

Milburn Wink will compete with other district public relations chairmen for the area for the outstanding district public relations chairman. All area winners will have their applications to the State Advanced Degree Record Check in Dallas June 4-6. Bob Clifton and Milburn Wink will attend this meeting.

Lodge to Sponsor Square Dance

The sons of Herman Lodge of Old Glory will sponsor a square dance Saturday evening at 8:30 at the Sons of Herman Hall off Highway 380 near Old Glory.

Head Coach Job

Robert James, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. French, has been named new Lamesa High School head football coach after having served as an assistant.

James has been at Lamesa High School since 1964 and is a graduate of McMurry College in Abilene. His wife is the former Laveta French and they have three children.

Oak Grove Group Sets Supper Sat.

The Sunday School and Brotherhood of Oak Grove Baptist Church will sponsor a barbecue chicken supper Saturday evening in the Fellowship Hall. Serving will begin at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited. The menu will include chicken, pinto beans, potato salad, cole slaw, pie or cake, tea or coffee. Moths cannot harm cotton. The first successful cotton textile mill in the U. S. was built in 1790 by Samuel Slater, an Englishman.



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MRS. ANDY BAUM FRENCH JR.
... formerly Linda Gale Pearce

Pearce-French Vows Exchanged Tuesday

Linda Gale Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Pearce, and Andy Baum French Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Baum French, exchanged wedding vows Tuesday, (May 27) at First Baptist Church.

Rev. Max Brown, pastor, officiated.

Revonna Kay Robertson was organist and Janet Carson was soloist.

Maid of honor was Norma Dodson of Albany. Bridesmaids were Suzie Williams of Breckenridge, Wilda Brewster of Albany and Judy Pedigo of Livingston.

Tommy Brown was best man. Groomsmen were Bob Browder of Big Spring, Langdon White of Odessa and Jimmy Hastings.

Candlelighters Lanny Foster and Charles A. Pearce, brother of the bride, also seated guests.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gardenia white gown of silk organza over silk taffeta. The Victorian bodice and fitted tapered sleeves joined the A-line skirt with reembroidered Alencon lace with cobweb tracery. The same lace formed scattered accents over the skirt and circled the bottom. The train of silk illusion bordered in Alencon lace was chapel length.

Attendants wore lemon yellow chiffon lined with lemon taffeta and wore yellow daisies in their hair.

Following the reception in the Fellowship Hall, the couple left for a wedding trip to Galveston. They will later be at home at 118 University City Apartments in Denton where she will continue her studies as a business education major at North Texas State University and he will be employed with Arthur Anderson and Company in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. French noted the rehearsal dinner at Cliff House in Stamford.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School and Cisco Junior College. She was a member of the Wrangler Belles, Student Council and

representative of the Sophomore Class.

The bridegroom was graduated from Hamlin High School and McMurry College. He received his MSA from Texas Tech where he was a member of Chi Omicron social club.



SALLY YOUNG
... marriage date set

Sally Young, Gary Hester Making Wedding Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Young Jr. are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Sally Elaine, to Gary Helon Hester, son of Mrs. Helon Hester and the late Mr. Hester.

The couple will exchange vows Saturday, Aug. 16, at 8:30 p.m. in the Hamlin Church of Christ. Ned Young, uncle of the bride-elect will officiate.

The bride is an honor graduate of Hamlin High School. Hester is a Hamlin High School graduate and is employed at Mac's Super Market.

VIETNAM — Army Second Lieutenant Michael L. Lanning, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Lanning, Sylvester, was assigned April 22 to the 199th Light Infantry Brigade in Vietnam.



MRS. TERRY KENT HOLT
... formerly Marilyn Roberts

Terry Holts Residing In McCamey Following Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kent Holt are residing in McCamey following their marriage Friday evening in the chapel of First Baptist Church.

The bride, the former Marilyn Jeanne Roberts, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Roberts of Cisco. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Holt.

Rev. Max Brown, pastor, officiated. Danny Oliver was pianist.

Maid of honor was Monty McCoy of Abilene. Jimmy Lee Hastings of Hamlin was best man.

Candles were lighted by James Holt, brother of the bridegroom, and Chuck Roberts of Cisco, brother of the bride.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length A-line dress of Chantilly lace over bridal satin. Her shoulder length veil fell from a crown of satin roses with crystal accents. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses with satin streamers atop a white Bible.

The maid of honor wore a floor length A-line dress of yellow satin and carried an arrangement of yellow roses.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the reception in the Fellowship Hall.

The bride is a graduate of Cisco High School and attended Cisco Junior College one year.

Holt, a Hamlin High School graduate, has attended CJC

one year. Following his summer employment with Shell Pipe Line the couple will return to Cisco to attend college.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt hosted the rehearsal dinner in their home Thursday evening.

B & P W INSTALLS OFFICERS TUESDAY

Officers for the Business and Professional Women's Club were installed Tuesday evening by Carol Joe Simpson in the home of Mrs. Mac Reid.

Mrs. Reid was installed as president with the following officers: Mmes. Paul Goodgame, first vice president; Mrs. E. A. Hewett, second vice president; Mrs. Kenneth Riddle, corresponding secretary; John Holtz, recording secretary; and I. R. Witt, treasurer.

A salad supper was served to members.

Mrs. Joe Ford Sr. Honored Friday

Mrs. Joe Ford Sr. was honored Friday afternoon, celebrating her seventy-first birthday.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to Mmes.

L. R. Faulkenberry, Tom Jones, M. F. Holmes, Earl Herbst, H. L. Ford, and Miss Dianne Ford. Hostesses were Mmes. Johnnie Agnew and Mel Jones.



ELEMENTARY TEACHERS HONORED — The third, fourth and fifth grades hosted a reception Friday afternoon for teachers who will be retiring or moving from Hamlin. Left to right, are Mrs. Earl Brown, who is retiring; Miss Odean Murphree, who is moving to Denison; Mrs. Harvey Elkins, who may possibly be moving, and Mrs. Jimmie Hammond who will be teaching in Abilene.

Parties Honor Retiring Teacher, Mrs. Brown

Mrs. Earl Brown, who is retiring after 40 years in the teaching profession, has been honored on several occasions in observance of the important event.

At one party she was honored with a party and received a camera as a gift from the primary and elementary teachers and the cafeteria cooks.

At the spring picnic, the fifth grade students presented her with a silver tray.

Thursday her fifth grade students gave a surprise party and presented her a travel case and stationery.

Mrs. Brown is a native of Mt. Vernon. After finishing the ninth grade there, she attended sub college at East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce. Here she received a teaching certificate and a high school diploma at the same time.

She started her teaching career in Wood County and later moved to Jones County in 1929. She received a McMurry's degree from McMurry in 1948 and a masters degree in 1955.

She taught at Boyd Chapel, Carpenter's Gap, Flat Top and Wise Chapel before starting her tenure as a fifth grade teacher in the Hamlin Schools in 1947.

The former Leone King, she is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King. She married Mr. Brown in Winnboro in 1928. He died in 1963.



MRS. EARL BROWN
... retires

A son, Dr. W. D. Brown, who received a Ph. D degree from the University of Texas, is now a professor in the University of California at Berkeley. His wife, Sue, is also employed there as a research chemist.

Mrs. Brown will continue being active in the First United Methodist Church and the Business and Professional Women's Club. She recently became a member of the Woman's Literary Club. She also plans to do much resting, reading and traveling, she said.

HAVE A NEW GRAND-CHILD? That's news... Call the HERALD.

Series of Parties Honor 1969 Grads

Senior girls have been guests during the past week at a series of parties honoring classmates in the Class of 1969.

Last Wednesday afternoon a tea hosted by Mrs. Leldon Clifton and Mrs. Henry Albritton in the Clifton home honored Pat Perrin.

Saturday morning Cindy Bryant was honored with a Coke party in the home of Mrs. C. L. Howard.

A Saturday luncheon in the home of Mrs. Phil Guitart of Abilene honored Miss Pat Perrin and Miss Bryant.

To Attend Famed English School

Sharon Hawkins, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Hawkins, leaves Dallas June 2 to attend the famed Cordon Bleu Cookery School in London, England. She is a member of a group of girls attending the Selwyn School in Denton, Texas, and other schools, who will be taken on the trip by Mrs. John D. Doncaster, wife of the Headmaster of the Selwyn School.

Before arriving in London on June 22 for the month's course at the Cookery School the students will visit Spain, North Africa and Italy. They will return Thursday, July 17.

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FROM THE FILES . . .

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (May 16, 1969)

One of the most attractive and unique entertainments that Hamlin people have had the pleasure of seeing this year was the musical comedy, "Microbe of Love," on the stage at the high school auditorium.

This play was under the direction of Miss Wrenn Hopkins for the Wayne P. Sewell Lyceum Bureau of Atlanta, Ga.

The music was furnished by Mrs. H. D. Neff, accompanist, and the high school orchestra.

R. A. Wood, who has had the duty of taking the scholastic census of the Hamlin Independent School District, says that the final count gives us 667 scholastics for next year. This is the highest in our history and likely when the number of transfers are all counted we will have near 700 enrollment for the next year.

Hamlin High School Base Ball team is making a record this spring. They have measured up with the very biggest and best in that line of sport.

This week is Firemen's Convention and jubilee in Texas. They are meeting in McKinney this year and those going from Hamlin are: W. W. Collier, Tom Farrow, Chas. Thompson and Walter Greenway.

Mrs. B. Moseley was hostess to members of the Blue Bird Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon, May 14.

After four enjoyable games, Mrs. Fred Moore held high score.

A most delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames North, Gray, Bynum, Morgan, Moore, Cherry, Claude Gray, Hardy, Waggoner, Scales, Berry and Miss Conneley.

TWENTY YEARS AGO (May 13, 1949)

Hamlin's Pied Pipers, undefeated in district baseball competition during the past season, shut out the Rotan Yellowhammers, winners of the western half, in a game on the Piper diamond Wednesday by a score of 16 to 0, to take the district 6-A championship.

J. B. May pitched the first four innings, J. W. Carter took over in the fifth, and Joe Allen Dean pitched the last inning.

A round table discussion of plans for a youth recreation program in Hamlin featured the second meeting of the Hamlin Civic Planning Board, in the Johnson Drive Inn Cafe.

Plans for a public reception for Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Hawkins were announced Thursday by members

of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Board.

Stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin, in a special called meeting Wednesday, voted the first increase in capital structure of the institution in more than 30 years, according to Tate May, president.

With members of the class in charge of their own graduation program, commencement exercises for the 1949 Hamlin senior class will be in the high school auditorium Thursday.

Diplomas will be issued to 55 seniors during the program. Donald Young is salutatorian and Dennis Johnson is valedictorian.

Driving rains of last week, accompanied by high winds and a scattering of hail, brought the year's total to 11.36 inches, according to Bill Rountree, city water superintendent.

Sid Lowrey of Lubbock, district representative for the American Legion, was guest speaker at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club.

TEN YEARS AGO (May 21, 1959)

First wheat of the Hamlin section—and the nation as far as local buyers could ascertain—was brought into Hamlin Monday afternoon. Two loads of the new grain arrived within a few minutes of each other.

John C. Bryant, Hamlin insurance agent was elected president of the Jones County Tuberculosis Association at the annual membership-director dinner meeting in Anson Hotel last Thursday evening.

Four Hamlin High School juniors have been named as delegates to the annual Boys' State and Girls' State government demonstrations in Austin. Attending will be: Peggy Dodd, Patricia Bigham, Victor Criswell and Durwood Boyd.

Jackie W. Drummond, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Drummond, of Hamlin, was among the ROTC cadets at Texas Tech honored for outstanding achievement in the military branch of the college.

With \$2,571.11 reported to date the Jones County Cancer Crusade was short only \$53.89 of the goal of \$2,625, the county chairman, Ed Sprowls of Anson, said Monday.

Hamlin Board of Community Development may soon have a full-time manager, it was indicated by Fred B. Moore Jr. following the Monday evening monthly business meeting of the BCD board of directors.



HONOR GRADUATES — Hamlin High School honor graduates of 1969 are, left to right, standing, Mike Young (valedictorian), Joey Duncan, Beth Craig, Gil Lain (salutatorian), Robert Bailey; second row, Sally Young, Jane Hymmer, Patricia Elkins, Jerry Elliott; first row, Pat Perrin, Patty Cowan, Cindy Bryant and Dianna Crowley (highest ranking girl). (Photo by Tim Jones)



COMMENCEMENT DIGNITARIES — B. V. Newberry, left, principal of Hamlin High School, Dr. Paul Faulkner of Abilene Christian College, commencement speaker, Dr. M. L. Smith, president of the School Board, and Superintendent C. F. Cook, right, discuss the 1969 graduation exercises held in the Public Schools Auditorium Monday evening. (Photo by Tim Jones)

Mrs. Horace Driver Hostess for Circle Meeting May 21

The McBride Circle of First United Methodist Church W. S. C. S. met Wednesday morning, May 21, in the Parlor of Fellowship Hall. Mrs. Horace Driver was hostess.

Mrs. Driver, circle chairman, conducted the business meeting. She announced the following as new circle officers: chairman, Mrs. Robert Wilson, vice president; Mrs. Don Davis, treasurer; Mrs. Bill D. Davis; and reporter, Mrs. Charles Hilburn. These officers will be installed at the general meeting in August and begin their duties in September.

This circle does not have circle meetings during the three summer months. There is no general luncheon during these months, but there is a general meeting at 10 a.m. on first Tuesday of June, July and August.

Mrs. Robert Wilson led the Bible study and discussion on Matthew 9. Mrs. W. A. Hawkins gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Driver gave the closing prayer.

Those attending were: Mmes. Bill D. Davis, Driver, Wilson, Hilburn, Hawkins, James E. Harrison and Marvin Richter.

Son of Former Residents to Wed In Sweetwater

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forgy of Sweetwater announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Melody Kathryn, to Charles Frank Egger, son of Rev. and Mrs. Darris L. Egger of Sweetwater, former Hamlin residents.

The marriage will take place in First United Methodist Church in Sweetwater July 26, at 7 p.m.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Sweetwater High School and attended commercial college of Abilene. She is presently employed by The Texas Bank and Trust Co. in Sweetwater.

Eggers is a graduate of Sweetwater High School and is a sophomore at McMurry College.

Committees for Garden Club Named for 1969-70

Mrs. Floyd Hallmark, president of the Hamlin Garden Club, has announced committees for the 1969-70 club program.

The committees are as follows: state and national projects, Mrs. C. F. Cook and Mrs. Arlie Cattle; horticulture, Mrs. Fred Carpenter and Mrs. Marshall Stewart; notification, Mrs. P. A. Fowler, Mrs. L. B. Williams and Mrs. D. W. Stell; pilgrimage, Mrs. R. M. Young Sr.; Arbor Day and garden therapy, Mrs. B. H. Gardener and Mrs. L. B. Williams; anti-litter, Mrs. R. L. Goodgame; flower show, Mrs. LaFoy Patterson; conservation, Mrs. Harold Bonner and Mrs. F. B. Moore; civic beautification, Mmes. John Ed Day, Horace Driver, R. D. Moore and Joe Huddspeth; membership, Miss Lennie Greenway; program and yearbook, Mmes. B. B. Colwell, Joe League and Tarlton Willingham; junior gardener, Mrs. O. G. Harvey.

Granddaughter Honored In Dallas

Mary Lu McFarland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McFarland of Dallas and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Miller of Hamlin, was honored as outstanding and deserving student of the month by the Kimball PTA.

A native of Dallas and a senior, she is active in many school organizations including concert choir, Future Teachers Club, and works with Teens Aid the Retarded.

Her mother is the former Colleen Miller, a Hamlin High School graduate.

Mrs. C. E. LaBaume To Head Nazarene Missionary Society

Mrs. C. E. LaBaume was elected president of the Nazarene Missionary Society last Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Joe Norton was named the Study chairman and will be giving missionary lessons

Mrs. Melvin Scott Installed As Officer In Association

Mrs. Melvin Scott, charter member and corresponding secretary of the recently organized National Secretaries Association, Abilene chapter, was installed with other officers in a candlelight ceremony following a dinner at Starlite Inn in Abilene Saturday evening.

Mrs. Scott, who has been a member of the Texas-Louisiana Division Chapter-at Large, transferred her membership to this chapter. She is secretary to D. W. Cowan, plant manager of the Celotex Corporation here.

She was accompanied to the dinner installation by her husband, Melvin Scott, and his sister, Melba Jean Scott, who is employed in the Taylor County Clerk's office in Abilene.

First Baptist VBS To Start Monday

Danny Oliver, music-education director of First Baptist Church, is announcing Vacation Bible School to be held June 2-6 from 8:30 to 11:30 each morning.

Teen time will be from 7 to 9 p.m. each evening.

Enrollment will begin during the Sunday School hour

Sunday morning. Commencement will be Sunday evening, June 8, during the evening service period.

Gerald Barnett Joins Police Force As Patrolman

Gerald Barnett, 21, has been appointed a patrolman by Chief of Police Bryan Wasson to fill the vacancy following the resignation of Patrolman Kenneth Hobbs. Hobbs resigned to accept appointment as a Taylor County Deputy Sheriff under Sheriff George Maxwell.

Barnett was born in Abilene although his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Barnett, were living in Hamlin at the time. In 1957 the family moved to Sudan where they lived until 1963 when they returned to Hamlin. He was graduated from Hamlin High School in 1966. He has attended Angelo State College and Cisco Junior College.

His most recent employment has been with Y6 Ranch.

Barnett has been a member of the Hamlin Auxiliary Police since November 1968. While a member of the AP, he completed a 16-hour course in Disaster recovery and is also enrolled in the correspondence course in Jail Management conducted by Jail Inspection Service of the U. S. Bureau of Prisons.

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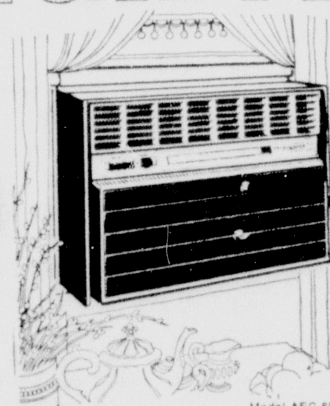
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LADIES GOLF WINNERS — Winners in the Ladies Golf Association tournament held here Tuesday are, left to right, Jimmie Walker of Stamford, Ann Calhoun of Aspermont, Velma Voss of Knox City, Inez Ferguson, Neoma Bell and Verda Mitchell of Aspermont; back row, Ruby Ray of Aspermont, Dink Hall and Lola Milstead both of Hamlin, and Daphne Hayes of Abilene. Their places and their flights are listed in an accompanying story.

24 Take Part In Ladies Golf Meet Here Tuesday

Twenty-four ladies from Aspermont, Knox City, Abilene and Stamford and Hamlin took part in the annual invitational golf tournament sponsored by the local Ladies Golf Association here Tuesday.

The golfers were paired into four flights with the following winners:

First flight: Daphne Hayes, Abilene, low gross; Neoma Bell, low net; second flight: Jimmy Walker, Stamford, low gross; Lola Milstead, low net; third flight: tie, Verda

Mitchell, Aspermont, and Velma Voss, Knox City, low gross; and Inez Ferguson, low net; fourth flight: Dink Hall, low gross; and tie, Ruby Ray and Ann Calhoun, both of Aspermont, low net.

The tournament directors expressed their appreciation to Al Ford, Lakeview Country Club manager, and to the other people of Hamlin that helped to make the tourney a success.

BRIDGE

Mrs. Floyd Briscoe and Mrs. Preston Morrow of Rotan were first place winners at Tuesday evening's Duplicate Bridge Club meeting.

Mrs. Gene Knable and Mrs. Dale Lain were second and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yates of Stamford were third.

Demonstration Set Here Monday On 'Favorite Foods'

Kathryn Cawley of Abilene, Lone Star Gas home economist, will be presenting a "Favorite Foods" demonstration in the homemaking lab at Hamlin High School Monday, June 2, at 7 p.m.

The session is one of a series of sessions set up by the Homemaking Department for adults. All interested women are invited to attend.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Announcements A

NOTICE
I will not be responsible for any debts made by anyone other than myself. Paul Kenneth Scott.

Card of Thanks A-1

CARD OF THANKS
Our sincerest thanks for the numerous ways our friends helped us during our recent loss. The kindness and genuine neighborliness meant so much to us.

The Potts Family
CARD OF THANKS
May we express our gratitude and thanks for each expression of sympathy and love shown us during our sorrow. We are especially thankful for the hospital care, the doctor's care, the friends, the flowers and memorials, and the food given.
May God bless each of you for your kindness.
The Family of Mrs. John Howard, Sr.

Lost & Found A-2

REWARD for return of green French style billfold lost from car in McCaulley area Monday evening. Reward given for contents intact. No questions asked. Bring or send to Hamlin Herald.

LOST: Brittany Spaniel puppy, white and brown color. Lost in the vicinity of Little League Ball Park. If found call 576-3855.

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CUSTOM HAY BALING: Will consider baling on halves. LaFoy Patterson. Call 576-3564.

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Painting, residential and some commercial. Inside and outside. Leonard Meeks, 576-2459 or 576-3973.

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HOUSE FOR RENT: Three bedroom, 137 N. W. Ave. A. Pick up key at 852 S. E. Ave. A. \$50 month.

FOR RENT: Two houses 229 S. W. Fifth and 53 N. E. Ave. B. See Crow Bros.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO Adelicio Chavez, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Jones County at the Court-house thereof, in Anson, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 23rd day of June A. D. 1969, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 20 day of February A. D. 1969, in this cause, numbered 11,011 on the docket of said court and styled IN RE: Auvis Allen Pittman, et ux, to adopt minor, Plaintiffs.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: To adopt minor child as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Anson, Texas, this the 8th day of May A. D. 1969.

(SEAL)
Attest: W. L. McDonald
Clerk,
District Court
Jones County, Texas

Miscellaneous Q

OAT STORAGE AVAILABLE — Moore Elevator, Hamlin, Texas. The county loan rate for No. 2 Oats is 75c per bushel. Current storage charge is 9c per bushel. Contact Moore Elevator, Hamlin for further information.

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HONORED AT SCHOOL — Mrs. Jimmie Hammond, in center of picture, fifthgrade teacher who has resigned her position in Hamlin Elementary School to teach in Abilene this fall, was honored Friday with a party in her classroom. Her students pose with her.

Ellis West to Be In Charge of Program for International Meet

Ellis West, superintendent of the Plains Cooperative Oil Mill, Hamlin Division, is in charge of the technical program for the International Oil Mill Superintendents Association's seventy-fifth anniversary convention, June 8-10.

Mr. West became a member of the IOSMA in Ft. Worth in 1952 and has attended most of the conventions since that date.

He is a native of Blair, Okla., born June 3, 1925. Following two years in the Navy he joined the Chickasha Cotton Oil Co. in Hobart, Okla., in 1948 as a bale press operator and was later made trouble shooter and then night superintendent. He went to Casa Grande, Ariz., in 1952, to help build the mill there,

March of Dimes Receipts for County Announced Here

The Jones County Chapter of The National Foundation has announced receipts from the 1969 March of Dimes Drive.

A total of \$3,759.76 was received from the following sources: Hodges community, \$77.38; Bethel Lutheran Church, \$200; Avoca Home Demonstration Club, 102.40; Stamford, \$972.05; Anson, \$1,023.10; Hamlin, \$1,018.96; and Lueders, \$365.87.

From the \$3,759.76, \$41.45 was needed for expenses leaving \$3,718.31 to be distributed as follows: 25% for medical research, \$929.58; National Headquarters, \$1,394.37; and local chapter, \$1,394.36.

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Junior High Awards For Scholarship Presented Friday

Scholarship awards were presented to twenty-seven Junior High School students at the end of school. One eighth grader, 12 seventh graders and 14 sixth graders were recognized for maintaining a 90 or above average in each subject.

The group includes Richard Wallace, eighth grade; Kenneth Dockins, Elaine Kelley, Steven Macky, Frank Meyner.

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In the sixth grade the following were recognized: Debra St. Clair, Rita Casey, Randy Crouch, Thomas Hartley, Blain Lewis, Cheryl Lewis, Cynthia McMillan, Ray Sonnenburg, Denese Tugwell, Sonja Williams, Randy Elmore, Peggy Farnsworth, Luke Reynolds and Joe Youngblood.

Robert W. Pearce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearce, has been chosen as one of

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PLATES	39¢	ICE CREAM	49¢	DRINK	4 FOR \$1
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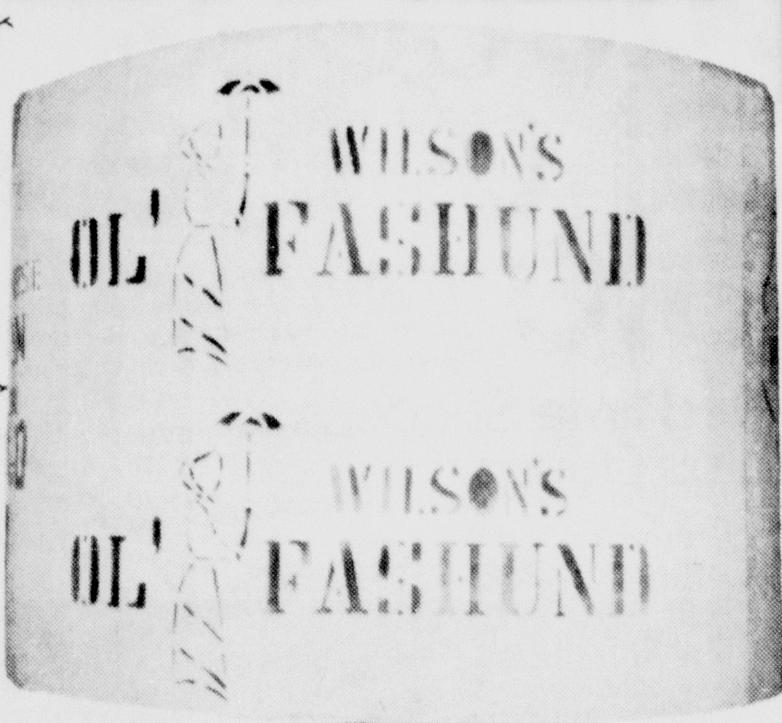
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